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VIRGINIA CITIZEN

Local, County, State, National and Foreign-all simmered down.

Kipling's New Poem-1 If you can keep your head when all Are losing theirs and blaming it on you; If you can trust yourself when all men But make allowances for their doubt-

ing, too; If you can wait and not be tired by Or being lied about don't deal in lies, Or being hated don't give away to hating, And yet don't look too good, nor talk

f you can dream-and not make dreams your master;
If you can think—and not make thoughts your aim;
If you can meet with triumph and dis-

Twisted by knaves to make a trap for Or watch the things you gave your life

And stoop and build 'em up If you can talk with crowds and keep Or walk with kings-nor lose

hurt you, If all men count with you, but f you can fill the unforgiving minute With sixty seconds' worth of distance

Yours is the earth and everything that's in it, And—which is more—you'll be a man,

FEEDING FOWLS

DRY FOOD.

Housewives Shou'd Adopt This Plan For iggs and Healthy Chicks.

PUT THIS IN YOUR DIARY TILL SPRING. may be necessary to explain for the information of some, that the term "dry dated October 31, he said: freding" is applied to the use of ground corn, oats, or any other grain; beef scrap, bran, etc., without mixing it with water, skimmed milk or any liquid of any kind, and that this mash, so called, is left before the fowls all of the time, allowing them to help them. eding" is applied to the use of ground the time, allowing them to help them no attention to my letter.

The dry feeding system is a labor saver. with it you can content your. which does not deserve to exist, but self, knowing the chickens need not go hungry if the help forgets to give their the convict lease system. alotment of grain in the evening. ing places very clean you will have

sickness amongst your fowls. find that after two weeks their appetite been that of a gentleman. mashes. At the end of four months Mr. Smith. small gain in their weights over the dry says: fed ones. But in the dry fed pen there "W

trouble at different times with loose bowels.

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HONOR TO THE SENATOR

Following up our recent editorial on what Governor Swanson had done for our public schools (not to mention his 'good roads'' record), we extract the ollowing from the Virginia Journal of SENATOR CLAUDE A. SWANSON.

Governor Mann has made no wiser appointment or one more generally approved than that of designating Claude
A. Swanson to fill out the unexpired
term of the late John W. Daniel in the
United States Senate. The readers of
The Virginia Journal of Education, we
feel sure, are specially pleased with
this appointment, for no public man in
Virginia has exhibited more interest in
or worked harder for the up-building
of the public school system. The revival of the old Journal of Education
was in great measure due to the efforts
of Senator Swanson. He assures us
that in the future he will continue to
have the same interest in and will con
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every day, as all remedies failed, till Dr. King's
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tinue to work for the improvement of the public schools in this State. Senator Swanson is a man who is not given to making promises and failing to keep them. His ideas with reference to the best means of establishing and maintaining a high standard in the public

schools are clearly set forth in his own words which we quote as follows: In all cases division superintendents should be selected for their devotion to. and efficiency in, educational work. Trustees should invariably be men of practical business sense, of reputation and influence, broad minded and patri- The waves of trouble buffet me otic, earnest in the uplifting of their fellow man and in the progress of their State. They should have no partisan or selfish purposes to subserve in the discharge of their duties. These responsible positions should never be given to solicitous persons who seek them in order to provide places for their daughters and relations regardless of qualifications. They should never be given to persons who desire the ap-

ointment in order to locate a school for their own selfish accommodation. Those entrusted with the selection of division superintendents and trustees can render an inestimable service to point only the best and most worthy men to these important offices. I want the time to come in Virginia when to be a division superintendent or school trustee will be esteemed a high decoration of honor and be positive proof that

perity of the State. We feel sure that Senator Swanson's areer in the United States Senate will be no less brilliant and successful than was his conduct of the office of Governor of Virginia

REAL NEWSPAPER WORK

For some time past Thos. E. Watson has been making the vilest charges One of the greatest claims made by against Governor-elect Hoke Smith, of The supply of stock is greater than in GLASS, VARNISHES, the dry feeding enthusiasts is that the Georgia. He finally undertook to inmortality in growing chicks is far less duce F. L. Seely, editor of the Atlanta than with the wet mash system. It Georgian, to join with him in his cru-

to our state as you did in your fight on As a public journalist Mr. Seely felt

Sloppy food becomes sour very quickly; constrained to investigate the charges anless you keep the troughs or feed- and wrote to Mr. Watson for his evi- trade that the oyster business is flour-If you want to fatten your fowls for nicated. One replied that he knew abmarket it becomes almost necessary to solutely nothing of the charges. An- conclusively; that is that the public is use wet mashes, as they will undoubt- other declined to make a statement. getting tired of the so-called reformers edly eat more and fatten up quicker Another denounced as false Watson's who never see anything good except in than if fed on the dry system. From statement, so far as he was concerned. their own work. Public confidence in ten days to two weeks of this is all Another, a woman, made affidavit that the oyster has been fully restored. that is necessary, though, for you will Mr. Smith's conduct towards her had Boston dealers have had all they could

will fail them if you have fed heavily. Editor Seely then communicated with trouble was in getting sufficient stock In July the writer took twenty chick- Watson by telephone and Watson ad- to fill orders. Providence dealers say ens as near alike as possible and put mitted that he had no proofs, affidavits or they have never had such a good season ten in one run, using the dry system, definite information to substantiate the and conditions which at first looked like missteps that would wrest the prize of and ten in the other, feeding these wet grave charges he had brought against a hardship to the trade, have since

had never been a sign of one of the pullets "out of condition," while in the wet mash pen there was quite a little wet mash pen there was quite a little Nor do we know what will be his own the demands of oyster eaters, while the demands of oyster eaters, while of our action in this matter will be Nor do we know what will be his own points have had calls for oysters, the when Democrats playing lone hands

The Georgian is a competitor of the crowning part of the system that over- Atlanta Journal, which is understood comes any argument against it. The to be owned or controlled by Mr. Hoke writer saves from one to two hours Smith and that Mr. Seely should have every morning since installing the dry taken the pains to investigate the case and then to publish conspicuously in his own newspaper the full text of the evidence and his verdict of acquittal was an act of manliness and chivalry

> and a worthy editor. He is an honor to the profession But what shall be said of the man who has thus sought to destroy the character of the Governor-elect of his State, without a particle of proof to sustain his infamous charge? But Mr. Watson is outside of our jurisdiction

which shows him to be a gallant man

THE VOYAGE.

I'm sailing on, I'm sailing on, For better or for worse, The whirling world is my good ship, The sea's the universe, The track behind is yesterday. Tomorrow lies before, Fierce tempests lie along the way,

But golden is the shore! I'm sailing on, I'm sailing on, From infancy to age, And toil's the cargo that I bring To win by heritage, The seas of sorrow roll, Yet no disheartenment shall be

To keep me from the goal. I'm sailing on, I'm sailing on, Through mist and storm and rain, Fair skies and cloudy alternate In days of joy and pain Where lies the port toward which I sai I know not, near or far, Yet of its winning I'll not fail.

For Love's my guiding star! -John Kendrick Bangs, in Ainslee

GOOD TIDINGS.

the cause of education if they will ap- From Everywhere Comes News of of Years at an End.

lines we see that pretty much the whole gregate \$7,800. the person is devoting his best energies Atlantic coast is rallying from the to the educational progress and prosslump of four year's duration, that was largely caused by the "pollution" scare. Here are reports from other quarters: Chincotague Corr. Enterprise: Monday was "opening day" with our oyster shippers, and they sent-to-market on that day 1,500 packages of oysters, shell and shucked, clams, &c. Our oysters are at the top of the market in 000 cans of potatoes. Over 15,000 barexpected for them.

> Md., has known in years is now on. in Pocomoke and Tangier sounds. High prices are asked for stock and the oystermen are making money. Every packers' standpoint this season is a record breaker. Ten new packers have that at Hallwood. pened houses this year, and all of the ld ones are doing business.

H. C. Rowe & Co. report from their selves at will. One great thing about this way is that the weaker fowls have a chance to get their fill, whereas when you throw down wet corn meal mash, the strong ones generally gorge themselves and the weaker ones get very little.

The decoration to my letter.

"His withdrawal is absolutely demanded for the sake of the public service, public morals and the good of the country. Think of a governor of Georgia base enough to take advantage of his official position to wrong women dependent upon their jobs for daily bread!

"If you will be a manded for oysters that they have ever experienced. They have had employed more openers than ever before, and have run both of their plants to their full capacity, yet the demand has been so much greater than ever before." that they were unable to meet their orders last week by a large amount. They intend to construct a third shipping plant in order to meet their steadily increasing trade.

Says the Fishing Gazette, N. Y.: "It is encouraging to be able to tell the dence. Watson cited him to several ishing, as it never did in the past and persons, with each of whom he commu- despite the occasional "knocks" of public paid officials. It shows one thing do up to Thanksgiving. Their only turned out to be a blessing. The New the leaders of the Democratic party the wet mash fed pullets showed a In summing up the case Mr. Seely York oyster market has never been more will gather in Washington before the active than during the last three weeks. "We believe Hoke Smith has felt at Philadelphia has had to hustle to meet like of which made shippers open their

stantly failing to cure with local treatmen starrh to be a constitutional disease and there-Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & not reckless or disorganized, but that Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure they can be trusted to rule the govern on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They disturbing business an offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to Jeffersonian principles. cure. Sends for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c.
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AND SHE HAILS FROM VIRGINIA

girl, but it seems to be the truth in the case of the Tacoma (Wash.) young woman who proposes to raffle herself off to the prize winner in a lottery containing 10,000 tickets at \$1 each, with herself, as the leading attraction thrown herself, as the leading attraction thrown and we leave his own State to deal with

have to do to make himself reasonably comfortable in life would be to risk a dollar and await results. And the

girls! No more office or home drudgery! One ticket may solve the future. The Tacoma girl says she fears that the law may interfere, as lotteries are interdicted by the Federal statutes. Independent of our disbelief that Brother Wickersham could be so discourteous, we opine that this is a matter that rightfully belongs to the pulpit, and not to a court of justice.

And this apostle of "self-settlement" from Virginia!-Washington To my beloved I would bring Herald

IN OTHER SECTIONS.

Remarkable Output of Products in Various Localities. Accomac county-besides being the

argest oyster county in the State, the largest clam producer south of Long Island and the biggest potato (both kinds) grower south of Mason and Dixon's line-furnishes three-fourths of the soft-crabs used in the United States.

Ten country merchants doing business along the base of the Blue Ridge, in Oyster Prosperity. Hards Times Page county, have distributed a small fortune to the mountain folk of that range for the chestnut crop, which has Since Virginia has taken such a spurt been gathered principally by women in the past month or so along oyster and children. This sum will easily ag

> A Rockingham county man has sold a pair of Cornish fowls to a breeder in Pennsylvania for \$200, the rooster selling for \$150.

Taylor's canning factory at Oak Hall, Accomac county, has since beginning operations the latter part of July, canned 500,000 cans of tomatoes and 1,000 .quality this season and top prices are rels of potatoes have been used, paying 75 cts. therefor without the barrel, The best oyster season that Crisfield, and 13; cents per basket for tomatoes

A factory for reducing Irish potatoes quality. Big catches are reported daily Hallwood, in Accomac county. Thousandstof barrels of potatoes are being pulverized and shipped to starch and yeast factories all over the United available boat is now in use. From the States. Other towns on the Eastern Shore are establishing factories like

"Going! Going! Gone at \$50!" That is what the best ear of corn in all New England sold for at an auction sale of prize-winning ears at the recent New England corn exposition. On this basis H. Booker Hale, Agent, Whealton. a bushel of corn on the ear would bring \$3,750. Startling figures, but inspiring! This ear of corn was judged to be the best single ear of corn shown among the thousands competing at the corn show. The amount realized from the of prize-winning corn was nearly \$1,000. - Worcester, (Mass.) Cor. Boston Globe.

Wants To Help Some One. For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertile, Mo imself he feels for all distress from Backache ousness, Loss of Appetite, Lassitude and Kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for Liver Trouble, Dyapepaia, Blood Disorders, Fe-male Complaints and Malaria. Try them. 50c at

DEMOCRATS MUST BE WISE. To avoid the fate that has followed them in the past and to guard against the Presidency from their eager grasp, close of the short session of Congress to

when Democrats playing lone hands have placed the party in the light of running amuck, the Democratic leaders the oyster industry is thriving. There this time are going to make an effort to line the majority members of the still it will be only temporary. There next Congress into a solid phalanx, is every indication that the Christmas from which there will be no bolters and no sharpshooters, looking for individual distinction regardless of the party's in-

> The Presidency is the great prize for which the Democratic party is going to bend its every effort.

> Whatever course the party will pur sue in the next Congress will be designed with a view to convincing the people of the country that the Democrats are ment with sanity, economy, without disturbing business and according to

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION CALENDAR FOR 1911

ers of The Youth's Companion will as always at this season, present to every sub "Creating a market for herself," may a beautiful Calendar for the new year. The picture not sound very courteous toward any panel reproduces a water-color painting of an old-

LARGEST IN THE WORLD.

"THE HOLY BIBLE."

Just here it is not inappropriate to AND BOAT OWNERS: make mention of an incident in the life of a great poet. On the anniversary of his wedding day he presented his wife with a bible, and on its fly-leaf he wrote these exquisitely beautiful verses:

Were India's gems, were Afric's gold, Were all the pearls the waters hold, Were all the land, were all the sea Within my gift, I'd give them to thee But what were these-a dream, a lie, A fleeting gladness born to die!

Some richer gift, some nobler thing. I'd give thee Heaven with all its blissand here unfolded, Heaven is.

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